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SUBJECT: VISIT TO US BY SOVIET POETESS

REF: LONDON 8547

1. EMBASSY MOSCOW BELIEVES THAT LONDON SHOULD NOT
SHARE THE PRIVILEGED INFORMATION CONCERNING AKHMADULINA'S
VISA WITH SOVEMBASSY. WE DO NOT SEE HOW THIS COULD HELP
HER IN HER EVENTUAL CONFRONTATION WITH THE AUTHORITIES.
WE SEE NO REASON TO HELP THE SOVIETS CONTROL THE
ACTIVITIES OF THEIR CITIZENS.

2. THE DEPARTMENT MAY, HOWEVER, WISH TO CONTACT AKHMADULINA
AND ASK WHETHER SHE HAS ANY OBJECTION TO DISCLOSURE TO
SOVIET CONSOFF THAT VISA WAS ISSUED TO HER IN LONDON.
THIS WOULD SERVE TO INFORM HER OF OFFICIAL SOVIET INTEREST
IN THE MATTER PRIOR TO HER RETURN TO THE USSR. IF SHE
DOES NOT OBJECT TO THE INFORMATION BEING GIVEN
TO THE SOVIETS, WE WOULD WITHDRAW OUR RESERVATION.
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